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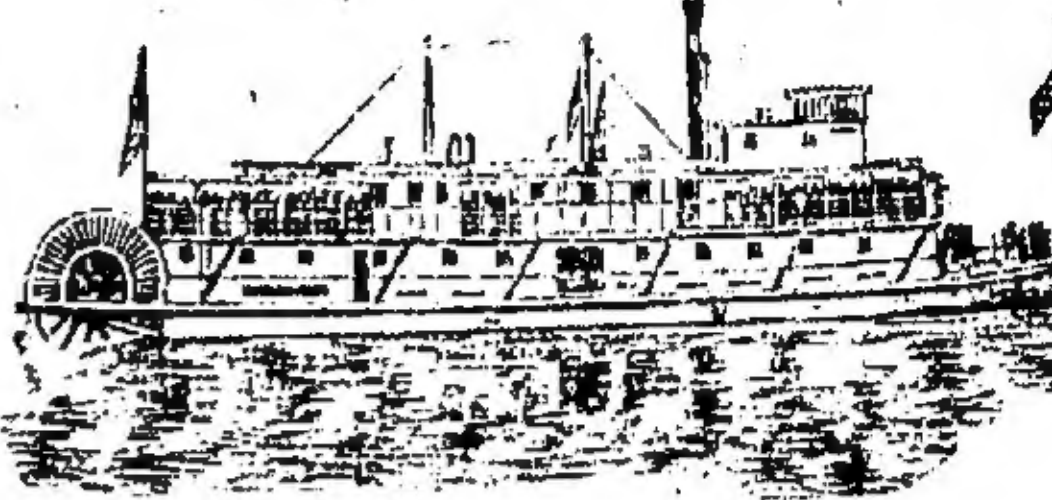
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The authorities probably do not realise how, by the issuing of these instructions, the reputation of Japan as a nation of liberty and freedom is being damaged.

## The Camphor Trade.

The Foochow correspondent of the *N.C. Daily News* writes:—Recently a British subject residing here told our correspondent some remarkable things about the conduct of the Japanese in the interior of this (Fukien) province. He informed me that some time ago he ascended the Min River to Yenching and beyond to buy camphor, when he found that the Japanese were selling all of the drug that they could lay their hands upon. They claimed that they had been granted a monopoly of it and that no one therefore had a right to prepare it without a licence from them. My friend had been assured by the native officials that they would give him all possible protection and that the camphor would not be detained by them or by the liks. So he proceeded to bring the camphor he had purchased—about \$3,000 worth—to Foochow. But when he reached Yenching, it was held by the officials, whose explanation was that they feared trouble from the attempts of the Japanese to detain it. At present the tension is very strong between the people and the Japanese on account of the high-handed proceedings of the latter, who go about armed and who have been forcibly seizing camphor during the past four or five months, even entering the most private rooms of houses for that purpose. According to my informant, there is danger of a popular uprising against the Japanese in that part of the province. The matter is now in the hands of the British Consul at Foochow. It is unnecessary to add that local business is greatly interfered with by the conduct of the Japanese, who claim to be under their Consul at Amoy.

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## His Britannic Majesty's Ships on the China Station.

Name.	Class.	Tons.	Gun.	H.P.	Captain.	Last Reported at
Alacrity	despatch-vessel	1700	—	3000	Comdr. O. de B. Brock	Hongkong
Albion	battleship, 1st class	12,900	16	13,500	Captain T. H. M. Jerram	Hongkong
Algerine	sloop	1050	8	1400	Commander R. Nugent	Hongkong
Amphitrite	cruiser, 1st class	11,000	16	18,000	Capt. Charles Windham, C.V.O.	Hongkong
Blenheim	cruiser, 1st class	9000	12	15,000	Captain F. G. Stopford	Hongkong
Bramble	gunboat, 1st class	710	8	1300	Lieut.-Comd. F. M. Leake	Hongkong
Britannia	gunboat, 1st class	710	8	1300	Lieut.-Comd. T. D. Prato	Hongkong
Centurion	battleship, 1st class	10,300	14	13,000	Captain Fagan	Hongkong
Cressy	cruiser, 1st class	12,000	14	12,000	Captain Henry M. Tudor	Hongkong
Cherub	cruiser, 2nd class	800	—	800	Comdr. Robert H. S. Stokes	Singapore
Eclipse	sloop	1070	10	1400	Comdr. Ernest Barton	Newchwang
Esperanza	torpedo boat destroyer	360	6	6700	Comdr. P. V. Lawes, D.S.O.	Hongkong
Fearless	cruiser, 3rd class	1880	12	3200	Captain W. A. Carter	Weihaiwei
Glorious	battleship, 1st class	12,950	16	13,500	Lieut.-Comd. H. L. Wall	Hongkong
Handy	torpedo boat destroyer	275	6	4000	Comdr. J. D. Daintree	Weihaiwei
Hart	torpedo boat destroyer	275	6	4000	Lieut.-Comd. C. Asser	Weihaiwei
Humber	torpedo boat destroyer	280	6	3900	Lt.-Comdr. G. B. Powell	Shanghai
Janus	river gunboat	—	—	—	Lt.-Comdr. G. B. Powell	Yangtze-Kiang
Kinshasa	cruiser, 1st class	14,100	—	31,502	Hon. N. G. Stopford	Kobe
Leviathan	river gunboat	180	2	800	Lt.-Comdr. F. G. Webster	Macao
Moore	battleship, 1st class	12,950	16	13,500	Captain R. F. Fooks, C.M.G.	Hongkong
Ocean	torpedo boat destroyer	350	6	6300	Lt.-Comd. G. G. Codrington	Hongkong
Orion	sloop	1015	8	1400	Commander W. H. Nicholson	Shanghai
Phaon	surveying-vessel	635	—	650	Captain Morris H. Smyth	Hongkong
Rambling	sloop	680	10	1400	Comd. D. St. A. Waks	Shanghai
Rinaldo	river gunboat	85	2	240	Lt.-Comd. John P. Irvan	Canton
Robin	sloop	680	6	1400	Comdr. T. Jackson	Shanghai
Rossini	river gunboat	85	2	240	Capt. C. H. H. Moore	West River
Sandpiper	cruiser, 2nd class	3600	8	9000	Lt.-Comdr. Davidson	Hongkong
Serius	river gunboat	85	2	240	Comdr. Davidson	Hongkong
Sparrowhawk	torpedo boat destroyer	355	6	6300	Comdr. Davidson	Hongkong
Taku	torpedo boat destroyer	260	6	6500	Fleet Reserve	Hongkong
Talbot	cruiser, 2nd class	5600	11	9500	Captain Lewis Bayly	Hongkong
Tamar	receiving ship	4650	6	—	Commodore Dickson	Hongkong
Tesal	river gunboat	180	2	800	Lt.-Comdr. E. V. Dugmore	Yangtze
Thetis	cruiser, 2nd class	3400	8	9000	Capt. J. A. O. Wilkinson	Weihaiwei
Tweed	coast defence gunboat	355	3	300	Lieut. Forbes	Hankow
Vengeance	battleship, 1st class	12,950	16	13,500	Capt. Leslie Stuart, C.M.G.	Hongkong
Vestal	sloop	1450	10	1400	Comdr. S. St. John Farquhar	Singapore
Virago	torpedo boat destroyer	355	6	6300	Lieut.-Comdr. A. B. Barker	Hongkong
Waterwitch	surveying ship	820	—	450	Lt.-Comdr. Ernest O. Hardy	Hongkong
Whiting	torpedo boat destroyer	380	6	5900	In Reserve	Hongkong
Woodcock	river gunboat	150	2	550	Lieut.-Comd. Hugh Somerville	Hankow
Woodlark	river gunboat	150	2	550	Lieut.-Comd. Wason	Yangtze

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## Foreign Men-of-war on the China and Japan Station.

Name.	Flag and Description.	Tons.	Guns.	H.P.	Captain.	Last reported at
Aspern	Austrian cruiser	982	—	—	Capt. Friedrich Grinzenberzen	Chefoo
Kaiserin Elisabeth	Austrian cruiser	4000	—	—	Captain Mirth	Chefoo
Achiron	French gunboat	1798	—	—	Captain Laferriere	Saigon
Alouette	French gunboat	300	—	—	Lieut. A. Varney	Canton
Argus	French gunboat	—	—	—	Capt. Crepin	Canton
Aspic	French gunboat	475	3	450	Commander Jourdain	Saigon
Avalanche	French gunboat	580	—	—	Lieut. Barou	Haiphong
Bancal	French gunboat	3740	29	9000	Capt. Lafave	Shanghai
Bugand	French cruiser	8018	18	—	Captain V. Poidlone	Chemulpo
Chateaufort	French gunboat	525	—	—	Commander Louel	Haiphong
Decidie	French gunboat	690	—	—	Commander Guthrie	Saigon
Kersaint	French gunboat	1250	6	2200	Capt. Le Gollier	Haiphong
Lion	French gunboat	470	—	—	Capt. Bénes	Saigon
Montcalm	French cruiser	9700	12	18,400	Captain Arco	Saigon
Oiry	French cruiser	4015	27	8500	Capt. Hurat	Shanghai
Fiscal	French cruiser	9437	8	6071	Captain Soule	Chemulpo
Redoubtable	French cruiser	1795	10	—	Capt. Vincent	Saigon
Stryx	French gunboat	629	2	900	Captain Thomas	Saigon
Surprise	French gunboat	—	—	—	Lieut. Guillard	Hongkong
Takung	French gunboat	—	—	—	Captain Blondel	Yankee
Takou	French gunboat	—	—	—	Captain Blondel	Saigon
Vauban	French gunboat	—	—	—	Captain Blondel	Along Bay
Vigilant	French gunboat	—	—	—	Lieut. Caron	Saigon
Vipere	French gunboat	400	4	441	Comdr. Villeneuve	Saigon
Bascard	German cruiser	1857	15	2900	Comdr. Huez	Amoy
Fürst Bismarck	German flag ship	11,000	36	14,000	Captain Prove	Hongkong
Geier	German cruiser	1778	15	2960	Comdr. von Stadnitz	Shanghai
Hansa	German cruiser	6000	34	10,000	Capt. van Semmen	Kiautschow
Hertha	German cruiser	6000	37	10,000	Capt. Baron Schimmelmann	Hongkong
Itis	German gunboat	1000	10	1300	Capt. Baron M. Hüllessem	Shanghai
Jaguar	German gunboat	850	10	1300	Comdr. Wilbrandt	Kobe
Lecha	German gunboat	1629	—	—	Comdr. Kroencke	Canton
Möwe	German gunboat	1829	—	—	Comdr. Fesper	Hongkong
Seeadler	German cruiser	1840	15	2500	Comdr. Pontius	Shanghai
Tiger	German gunboat	900	10	1300	Comdr. Deimling	Chemulpo
Vorwaerts	German gunboat	—	—	—	Lieut.-Comdr. von Weiss	Shanghai
Thiele	German cruiser	—	—	—	Captain Dick	Shanghai
Elba	Italian cruiser	2735	10	7471	Captain Volcelli	Hongkong
Piemonte	Italian cruiser	2427	34	12,000	Captain Dueseno	Shanghai
Vesuvius	Italian cruiser	4600	24	6820	Captain Zevi	Shanghai
Vettor Pisani	Italian cruiser	6500	18	13,000	Capt. Cali	Shanghai
Dia	Portuguese gunboat	720	—	—	Captain Diogo de Sa	Macao
Zaire	Portuguese gunboat	600	—	—	Capt. F. J. Barbosa Leal	Macao
Alouet	Russian gunboat	810	6	730	Comdr. Guinter	Vladivostok
Amaur	Russian cruiser	2800	5	4700	Comdr. Gramschkeff	Port Arthur
Askold	Russian cruiser	6000	27	—	Capt. Reitzensdstein	Sunk (?)
Bayan	Russian cruiser	7800	10	16,600	—	Port Arthur
Bayarin	Russian cruiser	8200	8	—	—	Sunk
Bulbe	Russian gunboat	1650	8	1150	Comdr. Erjckovitch	Port Arthur
Bulgatz	Russian cruiser	6640	12	—	—	Port Arthur
Diana	Russian cruiser	6731	6	—	—	Port Arthur
Djighilt	Russian gunboat	1468	3	1700	Capt. Nasarowsky	Port Arthur
Gaidamak	Russian gunboat	500	9	3600	Comdr. Yonnieff	Port Arthur
Gremiastohy	Russian gunboat	1420	8	2000	Capt. Zagarsky	Port Arthur
Gromobol	Russian cruiser	12,354	44	14,500	Captain Jessen	Vladivostok
Gudalik	Russian gunboat	1000	6	1000	Comdr. Novakovsky	Sunk
Korsets	Russian gunboat	1213	7	1500	Comdr. Novakovsky	Shanghai
Mendjeur	Russian gunboat	1224	7	1400	Commander Crown	Port Arthur
Naxarin	Russian battleship	10,206	12	9000	—	Port Arthur
Norik	Russian cruiser	3000	6	17,000	—	Port Arthur
Otrajny	Russian gunboat	1490	6	2000	Comdr. Vasilieff	Port Arthur
Pallada	Russian cruiser	6731	12	—	—	Ashore
Porosiet	Russian battleship	12,674	15	14,500	Captain Korolet	Port Arthur
Potapovskiyak	Russian battleship	10,960	16	10,600	Captain Jakovlef	Port Arthur
Rubia	Russian battleship	12,674	15	14,500	Capt. Zatacieng	Port Arthur
Poltva	Russian battleship	10,960	16	10,600	Captain Osoeff	Port Arthur
Rashyulak	Russian cruiser	1334	10	1786	Comdr. Livon	Port Arthur
Retvizan	Russian battleship	12,902	16	16,000	—	Ashore
Rossia	Russian protected cruiser	12,200	68	17,000	Captain Sapelrennikoff	Vladivostok
Rurik	Russian protected cruiser	10,523	26	13,250	Capt. Miesner	Vladivostok
Saratopol	Russian battleship	10,960	16	10,600	Capt. Sackennikoff	Port Arthur
Sivatsk	Russian gunboat	950	2	1155	Lieut.-Comdr. Iwanoff	Port Arthur
Sialak	Russian gunboat	1060	8	1120	Comdr. Ginter	Newchwang
Tsarvitch	Russian battleship	12,900	56	16,300	—	Ashore
Varyag	Russian cruiser	6810	27	20,000	Capt. Bahr	Sunk
Vesdnik	Russian gunboat	500	9	3200	Comdr. Zagoriansky-Klassoff	Port Arthur
Zabiyaks	Russian cruiser	1230	15	1194	Comdr. Abramoff	Port Arthur
Albany	U. S. cruiser	3500	—	—	Capt. Dyer	Shanghai
Annapolis	U. S. gunboat	1000	6	1227	Capt. Rohrer	Shanghai
Calho	U. S. cruiser	235	—	—	Lieut. M. L. Miller	Hongkong
Cincinnati	U. S. gunboat	3213	—	—	Capt. H. E. Mason	—
Don Juan de Austria	U. S. gunboat	1150	—	1600	Captain Denfield	Singapore
Elcano	U. S. gunboat	840	6	—	Lt.-Comdr. J. Hood	Shanghai
Helen	U. S. cruiser	1392	8	1888	Comdr. Stanton	Shanghai
Hamack	U. S. gunboat	1392	41	10,000	Captain R. M. Berry	Shanghai
Monadnock	U. S. monitor	3390	6	3000	Captain Mahan	Hongkong
Monocacy	U. S. gunboat	1370	8	860	Comdr. Denfield	Tak
Monterey	U. S. monitor	4064	4	5344	Comdr. W. H. Beeblew	Hongkong
New Orleans	U. S. cruiser	3137	20	—	Commander Sperry	Shanghai
Oregon	U. S. cruiser	10,258	45	—	Captain Burrell	Kobe
Rainbow	U. S. cruiser	4023	—	—	Commander G. E. Dyer	Manila
Raleigh	U. S. cruiser	3813	—	—	Captain Nasarowsky	Shanghai
Wabash	U. S. cruiser	1000	13	1118	Commander Marshall	Shanghai
Villalobos	U. S. gunboat	400	—	—	Lieut. L. O. Bartolotte	Shanghai
Wilkeson	U. S. gunboat	1297	6	1894	Commander U. B. Harsh	Shanghai



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9.30 p.m. Auction Japanese Curios, etc.,  
at Mr. Geo. Lamport's Sales Rooms.  
10 p.m. Auction of Japanese Art  
Silverware, including Ivory and Cloisonné  
etc., at Mr. Geo. P. Lamport's  
Sales Rooms.

Miscellaneous  
Goods for Sale not cleared at 4 p.m.  
on this date subject to rent.  
Handkerchiefs of Cambric, Mercer Goods,  
Lace, etc., from this date to the 21st  
March inclusive.

#### General Memoranda.

THURSDAY, March 17  
11 a.m. Meeting of Shareholders of  
The China and Manila Steamship Co.,  
Ltd., at the Company's Office.  
12 noon Meeting of Shareholders of The  
China-Burma Co., Ltd., at the Co's  
Office.  
12 noon Meeting of Shareholders of Hong-  
kong Hotel Co., Ltd., at the Com-  
pany's Hotel.  
8 p.m. Devonian Dinner of Devonian  
Society at Hongkong Hotel.

MONDAY, March 21  
3 p.m. Auction of Crown Lands at the  
Public Works Department's Office.  
Goods per Tride undelivered after this  
date subject to rent.  
TUESDAY, March 22  
9.15 p.m. Meeting of His Majesty's  
Justice of Peace at the Magistrate's  
Office.  
4.45 p.m. Auction of Valuable House-  
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HONGKONG DISPENSARY.

March 6, 1904.

**MARRIAGE**  
At St. Peter's Church, Hongkong, on  
17th inst., by the Rev. J. H. France, M.A.,  
assisted by the Rev. T. Wright, B.A.,  
Huan S. WYNN, of Gurock, Scotland, to  
ASSIE MAUDE, eldest daughter of the late  
Alfred Parker and Mrs. Nicholls, Hong-  
kong.

The publication of this issue commenced  
at 5.10 p.m.

#### The China Mail.

HONGKONG, THURSDAY, MARCH 17, 1904.

#### LOCAL AND GENERAL.

**Russians at Moukden.**  
The *Sin Wen Pao* states that Admiral  
Alexieff has again demanded the withdraw-  
al of all Chinese troops from Moukden.  
He has informed the Tartar General and  
civil Governor of this, stating that he will  
himself have the city guarded, as a garrison  
of 40,000 men will be there shortly.

#### Reporting the War.

As already reported (says the *Kobe  
Chronicle*), one of the *Times* war cor-  
respondents' steamers has been in dry dock  
at Nagasaki, and has just had wireless  
telegraphic apparatus fixed. She was  
expected to leave yesterday for Chemulpo,  
upon the arrival of two of the *Times*  
correspondents. A military attaché to the  
British Legation at Tokyo will, it is said,  
accompany the correspondents.

#### Hoist by Their Own Petard.

It is learned by the *Tung Wen Pao* from  
its Chefoo correspondent that since the  
China-Japan war, after the Japanese  
attack of Port Arthur, the Russians, with  
the intention of cutting off any Japanese  
retreat, have laid mines at Sin Ku Shao,  
north of Hon Yuen Kuo. Recently,  
through the intrigue of the followers of a  
certain bandit, these bombs exploded,  
killing a Russian Major and 200 Russian  
troops.

#### Foreign Correspondents in Corea.

The foreign war correspondent who  
goes with the troops to the front, and will  
be quartered with the Army, is likely to  
be comfortably provided for (says the *Kobe  
Chronicle*), but those who venture into  
Corea independently may frequently meet  
with hardship. It is reported that several  
correspondents going in the direction of  
Pingyang are encountering serious dif-  
ficulties, Koreans mistaking them for  
Russians.

#### Babies at Tsingtau.

On the 7th inst., a native dog in  
Tsingtau suddenly went mad and began  
snapping at all passers by. It managed to  
reach the soldiers' barracks, where it bit  
five soldiers, one of whom has since died of  
hydrophobia. The other four men were at  
once sent to Shanghai for Pasteur treat-  
ment, and are now doing well. Since that  
time, the same dog has bitten two more  
soldiers who arrived at Shanghai on the  
12th inst., by the steamer *Ger. Jauchke* for  
treatment. The dog was captured eventu-  
ally, and was at once destroyed.

#### Alleged Forgery.

The *Japan Herald* reports that the  
preliminary examination has now been  
concluded in the criminal case, in which  
a French subject named Henri Fouque  
and five Japanese are charged with  
fraudulently obtaining yen 2,750 from the  
Specie Bank and a Chinese Exchange,  
as well as an attempt to defraud the  
Russo-Chinese Bank of yen 13,500 by  
means of forged cheques. As a result of  
the examination, Henri Fouque and a  
Japanese named Anai Yasaburo have been  
committed for trial, the three others being  
acquitted.

#### The Kwangsi Rebellion.

Shanghai continues to publish more  
news of the Kwangsi 'Rebellion' than it is  
possible to get in Canton or Hongkong.  
One native journal states that the Hunan  
troops under the command of General Liu  
Kwang Tsai have been repeatedly defeated  
by the rebel forces at Liu Chow. Only  
recently a severe battle was fought with  
the notorious rebel Ho, near Hang-shu, in  
which the Government troops suffered  
defeat. Two officers and between 30 and  
40 troops were killed. Many were wound-  
ed. It is rumored that the General him-  
self has been captured at Liu Chow, and is  
now held for ransom. Twenty thousand  
dollars are demanded for his release.

#### War Correspondents.

The following war correspondents were  
reported to be at Yinkow on the 3rd  
inst.:

Mr. L. L. Ezel (*Daily Telegraph*).  
Mr. Newman (*Daily Mail*).  
Mr. McCullough (*Nori Kruai and New  
York Herald*).  
Mr. W. Greener (*The Times*).  
Two French correspondents, *Courrier de  
Tientsin* and another.

The *China Times* of the 3rd inst. says:  
Mr. McCormack was allowed to proceed  
to Port Arthur under Russian escort, was  
given 24 hours there to collect his belong-  
ings, and returned to Newchwang under  
the same guard. Mr. Greener was ordered  
out of Port Arthur as soon as the authori-  
ties discovered that he represented the  
*Times*. There seems to be a general desire  
among the Russian authorities to expel any  
correspondent who is liable to speak the  
truth. A meeting of correspondents was  
held at Yinkow on the 23rd ult., when it  
was decided to make a protest through the  
Consular Body, to be forwarded to the  
British Minister at Peking. This step,  
however, seems to us an ill-conceived one.  
The fact remains that it is absolutely im-  
possible to proceed in the direction of the  
Yalu Valley or Port Arthur on the Russian  
side. Mr. Greener, the Civil Administrator,  
acting under orders, issues passes to no  
one.

#### LOCAL AND GENERAL.

**Notes by the Way.**  
The Japanese shipping companies have  
resumed running to Corea.

The Central Stores, Ltd., Shanghai,  
pay a dividend of 22 1/2 per cent for the past  
year.

During a meeting of the Straits Legisla-  
tive Council at Singapore on the 4th inst.,  
part of the ceiling of the Governor's  
vestibule fell down.

The *China Gazette* learns from Russian  
sources that great damage was done by the  
last Japanese bombardment of Dalny,  
many houses being destroyed.

There were 225 European and 71  
Chinese visitors to the City Hall Library,  
and 60 European and 2,182 Chinese to the  
Museum during the week ending 13th  
March, 1904.

The Siam Electricity Co., Ltd., pays a  
dividend at the rate of 6 per cent (or 10.11  
per share) for the past half-year.  
The Company has thus paid 11 per cent  
for the year.

Bishop David C. Moore, of the Me-  
thodist Episcopal Church, lectured at Na-  
gasaki on the 10th inst., on 'What an  
American saw at the Battle of Chemulpo.'  
The Bishop was a passenger on the  
*Sungari*.

When the *Yaryung, Koreyt* and *Sun-  
gari* were blown up at Chemulpo, the band  
of the French national anthem, and the Russian  
sailors on the various neutral cruisers knelt  
on the deck. The crews of all the warships  
cheered again and again as the doomed  
vessels blew up.

#### Bangkok Dock Co.

The Bangkok Dock Company pays a  
dividend of 12 1/2 per cent for the past year,  
places Tes. 33,333.34 to Reserve Fund,  
Tes. 10,000 to new caisson fund, and  
carries forward Tes. 11,133.63—the total  
profits being Tes. 137,800.50.

#### A Deserter Fined.

Chinese constable 320 was attached to  
the Peak Station, and applied for a day's  
leave of absence. His request was granted,  
but when twenty-four hours had passed  
there was no sign of the return of the con-  
stable. Some time later he did return, and  
told a story of being called into the country  
on business. This did not suit the  
Captain Superintendent of Police, who  
charged the returned one with desertion.  
A fine of \$75 was imposed.

#### Cattle Disease at Lantau.

A gentleman who visited Lantau a  
few days ago reported having observed  
several carcasses of cattle lying about the  
paddy fields. There appears to have been  
an epidemic amongst the cattle on the  
island, but whether it is rinderpest or some  
other form of cattle disease has not been  
ascertained. We understand that the  
matter was reported to the Sanitary  
Authorities, who have taken the usual  
precautions to prevent the spread of the  
disease, whatever it may prove to be.

#### Bank Appointments.

We understand that Mr. H. R. Hunter,  
Sub-Manager of the Hongkong and Shang-  
hai Bank, takes up the duties of Inspector  
of Agencies and Branches, and that Mr. J.  
C. Peter, who has just returned from leave,  
becomes Sub-Manager here. Mr. C. W.  
May, who has been Acting Chief Account-  
ant, becomes Chief Accountant in suc-  
cession to Mr. R. T. Wright, of  
the Head Office, has gone to Amoy as  
Agent in succession to Mr. W. H. Wal-  
lace, who goes on furlough.

#### Increase of Singapore Garrison.

The Hongkong and Singapore Batta-  
lion, R.G.A., is to be increased by another  
Company, thus raising its strength to six  
Cos. The new Co., No. 6 (says the *Straits  
Times*) will be stationed at Singapore,  
which is therefore to have its present gar-  
rison of R.G.A. doubled in strength. Cap-  
tain Morris, who is well known in Singa-  
pore, will command the new Company.  
We also hear that a new battalion of Na-  
tive Infantry will arrive from India short-  
ly. They will be quartered at Fort Cut-  
ting, the Company of R.G.A. at Fort  
Cutting will then be transferred to Blakan  
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#### Trial Trip.

Yesterday, the *An Hsi*, a light draft  
steamer, built at Cosmopolitan  
Dock to the order of Messrs E. C. Wilks  
& Co., for H. E. the Viceroy of Canton,  
for special service on the higher reaches of  
the West River, ran her trial trip in Hong-  
kong harbour. This vessel has been built  
in the short period of two months from  
date of order. The principal dimensions are  
—72 feet over all, 13 feet beam, with a  
draft of one foot six inches only. The  
speed attained on the measured mile was  
8 1/2 knots, being nearly a knot over the  
guaranteed speed. The *An Hsi* left today  
for Canton. The plans and specifications  
were prepared by Mr. W. C. Jack,  
M.I.N.A., of Messrs E. C. Wilks & Co.  
We believe the name *An Hsi* means  
'Peace to the West,' and we hope the  
new gunboat will be helpful in assuring  
peace within the domains of His Excellency  
of Canton.

#### LOCAL AND GENERAL.

##### Siamese Customs.

Mr. Ambrose, Foreign Adviser of the  
Siamese Customs, has gone on leave after  
about four years' residence in Bangkok. It  
was reported some time ago that Mr.  
Ambrose was leaving the service, but he  
has re-engaged.

##### The Rice Market.

The Bangkok *Times* of the 27th ult. re-  
ports:—Rice is somewhat firmer than it  
has been for several days past, though the  
price of paddy is falling. Hongkong has  
recovered somewhat from its recent glut,  
and prices there show a slightly upward  
tendency. Freightage from Bangkok to  
Hongkong is now 25 cents.

##### A Naval Wedding.

A decree nisi was sought and obtained  
in the London Divorce court recently on  
these grounds:  
Wedding Day.—Bridegroom (a naval officer)  
arrived home at 3 a.m.  
Second Day.—Bridegroom took a sleeping  
draught.  
Third Day.—Came home 'three parts  
drunk.'  
Fourth Day.—Went to China for three  
years.

##### Crews of Captured Steamers.

The crews of the Russian vessels,  
declared by the Sasebo Prize Court to be  
lawful prizes of war, arrived at Nagasaki on  
the 10th inst. by the Japanese steamers  
*Dajin maru* and *Nagato maru*. They com-  
prised 230 Russian, 152 Chinese, 14  
Japanese, 10 Koreans, 5 Germans, and 1  
Norwegian, 412 in all. The Europeans  
were distributed among the C. K. Seamen's  
Home, Japan Hotel, and Cliff House  
Hotel. The Chinese are lodged at the  
Kofukuji Temple.

##### Band at King Edward Hotel.

By kind permission of Lt.-Col. Ire-  
wonger and Officers, the Band of the 53rd  
Borneo Infantry will play the following  
programme of music at the above Hotel,  
during dinner, on Friday, the 19th March  
(weather permitting):—  
March ..... 'The Belle of Bohemia'  
Introduction '3rd Act Lohengrin' .....  
Selection ... 'Merrie England' .....  
Song ..... 'The Everlasting Day' .....  
Selection ... 'The Mikado' ..... Sullivan  
Valse ..... 'Auf Schwingender Liebe' .....  
Mazurka ..... 'Slavonic Dance' .....  
GOD SAVE THE KING.

##### American War News.

We apologise to our readers for pub-  
lishing the following telegram, headed  
'Russians win, but at Terrible Cost,' but  
we give it as indicative of what the *Manila  
Observer* has to say for Newchwang.  
March 7.—Reports are current here to-day  
to the effect that the Japanese have sustain-  
ed a defeat at the hands of the Russians  
along the Yalu river. No figures are given  
as to the result of the engagement, but the  
Russians are said to have bought their  
victory very dear, having lost terribly in  
men and horses, it is said that the percent-  
age of officers killed, wounded and missing  
is unusually large. The Japanese losses  
are reported to be considerably smaller than  
the Russian, though they, too, are severe.  
The Japanese retreated a short distance  
and the Russians were too much exhausted  
to follow. Both armies are now resting on  
their arms waiting for another chance at a  
fight. The Russians failed to gain much  
ground, and there is a suspicion that per-  
haps the result of the fight may be different  
from what was reported.

##### Leap Year Dance at Foochow.

We publish the following extract from  
the *Foochow Echo* for the benefit of the  
'Bachelor Maids' of Hongkong, who seem  
to be lacking in certain characteristics  
possessed by their 'brethren' of Foo-  
chow.—We have reason to congratulate  
ourselves on the spirit of the 'Bachelor  
Maids' as they term themselves, who  
provided a great treat for the community  
on the 29th ult., when they gave a  
most chic Bal poudré at the Club. We  
have seen very many attempts to decorate  
the Reading Room of this building, but  
nothing has been accomplished to equal the  
most artistic and comfortable conversion of  
a long bare room into the coziest and most  
comfortable of ball-rooms with the most  
necessary adjuncts in the shape of sitting  
out accommodation. Proceedings were most  
unorthodox. In the first place, on arrival,  
the gentlemen were solemnly conducted  
upstairs on the arm of some one of the  
gracious hostesses, and presented with  
bouquets of appropriate and artistic  
construction; among others we noticed a  
beautiful creation of thistles for a canny  
Sunt, and another of cauliflower for the  
kindly provider of spring vegetables  
to those that have not. It was all  
very appropriate, and was carried out in  
the same excellent way from start to finish.  
The programmes were heart-shed, and the  
twelve dances and three extra were  
nicely played, by the leading light among  
the 'Bachelor Maids' were all white and most be-  
coming. The fathers of the illustrious  
daughters were adorned with red facings to their  
evening dress, and among the guests were  
several who had donned fancy costumes to  
be in keeping with the proverb. Most  
noticeable was Mr. Yen Shueh as the  
'Kaiser' of several centuries ago and the  
'Heavenly Twins' in scarlet and gold,  
(which by the way they lavished generously  
over the floor and their partners). Mr.  
Schmerzhahn's 'Lohengrin' was a marvellous  
conception of colour, and detail; the Ger-  
man Eagle was most prominent on his  
helmet, and seemed on the march; his  
shoes something of the old-fashioned kind  
as over. Three other costumes added much  
to the general effect—the 'Enchanted' of  
Messrs Pearson, Gira and Andros.

#### TELEGRAMS.

[CHINA MAIL'S EXCLUSIVE SERVICE.]  
SUPPLIED BY RUSSIA, VIA HONKONG.

#### THE RUSSO-JAPANESE WAR.

##### THE 'DMITRI DONSKOI.'

##### Patrolling the Entrance to Suez.

##### Another Apology.

LONDON, March 16.  
It is reported from Port Said that the  
Russian cruiser *Dmitri Donskoi* is  
patrolling the entrance to the Suez  
Canal. She is so near as to be visible  
from the shore.

On the 15th inst., she fired a blank  
shot and stopped the Italian cruiser  
*Marco Polo*, which is on her way out to  
the Far East to join the Italian squad-  
ron. When the captain of the *Dmitri  
Donskoi* discovered that he had stopped  
a foreign cruiser he apologised.

It is alleged that the Russian cruiser  
stopped a Norwegian steamer within  
the three-mile limit, thus infringing the  
neutrality of Egyptian waters.

#### MOVEMENTS IN COREA.

##### WAR CORRESPONDENTS SENT BACK.

##### Permits to Go to Front

##### Withdrawn.

LONDON, March 16.  
Reuters' correspondent at Seoul  
telegraphs that the Japanese authorities  
have ordered all the war correspondents  
at Pingyang and Wiju to return to  
Seoul.

The permits of these correspondents,  
authorising them to proceed to 'the  
front,' have been withdrawn.  
[It is not quite clear who these corres-  
pondents are—whether foreigners or Japa-  
nese. It might be surmised that they are  
some of the representatives of foreign  
newspapers, who, disappointed of not  
getting to the front with the Japanese  
forces, crossed over to Shanghai and  
Chefoo. There was a report that some of  
these correspondents, failing to get passage  
by any steamer, had decided to cross over  
to Corea by junk, so it is just possible that  
they are the men ordered back to Seoul  
with cancelled permits. Our own corre-  
spondent was still in Tokio a few days  
ago.—En, C.M.]

#### THE DISARMING OF THE

##### 'MANDJOUR.'

##### Only the 'War-Flags' Left.

SHANGHAI, March 12.

The Russian gunboat *Mandjour* was  
disarmed to-day.  
The unique spectacle of a European man-  
of-war weekly handing over her armament  
to an Asiatic power for safe-keeping and as  
a consequence of her Government's dread  
of her going out to meet a foe and take the  
ordinary risk of war, has been witnessed  
for the first time in history.

The decision to disarm, of course, the  
result of much diplomatic discussion, and  
Captain Crown, the commander of the  
*Mandjour*, had simply to obey orders.  
Still we doubt if there is any other navy  
in the world which would sanction the  
issuing of such humiliating orders, obedi-  
ence to which must for ever destroy the last  
shreds of Russian prestige in the Far East.

The disarming was carried out very  
simply.  
The Harbour Master, Mr. Carlson, sent  
two large cargo boats alongside the *Mand-  
jour* in the morning, Inspector Mallowes  
of the River Police being in charge and into  
these two boats, all the small arms, ammuni-  
tion (330 boxes), a great quantity of powder,  
shells for the 8-inch, 6-inch, 4-inch and  
Hotchkiss guns, fuses for torpedoes, were  
discharged. Then Inspector Mallowes him-  
self, an old Naval gunner, said that every-  
thing necessary for the complete disarmament  
was on board the cargo boats, they were  
towed up to the Arsenal, where the  
explosives were transferred to the Chinese  
gunboat *Chantai*, where they are to be kept  
till the war is over.

The breach-blocks of all the guns were  
then sent ashore to the custody of the  
Commissioner of Customs, Mr. Hobson,  
who had them stored in the Customs House  
godown.

The ceremony, unparalleled in this part  
of the world, was not without its pathetic  
side, and Captain Crown and the *Mand-  
jour's* crew were visibly affected.  
Ten years ago we saw Inspector Mallowes  
and his shipmates of the *Peang Squadron*  
surrendering to the Japanese at Weihai-  
wei!—*China Gazette*.

##### The 'Mandjour' Harmless.

We were officially informed this morn-  
ing (says the *Shanghai Mercury* of the 12th  
inst.) that vital portions of the large gun,  
the small arms and other offensive fittings  
of the Russian gunboat *Mandjour* have now  
been deposited with the Imperial Customs  
authorities here, while the shells, ammuni-  
tion and torpedoes have been placed on a  
small Chinese gunboat of the 'mosquito  
fleet' for safe keeping, this boat also being  
under the control of the Customs. This  
disarmament incident which has caused much  
local comment.

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[CHINA MAIL'S SPECIAL SERVICE.]  
DAMAGE AT PORT ARTHUR.

##### REPORTS BY NORWEGIAN

##### SKIPPERS.

##### The 'Pallada' Repaired.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

SHANGHAI, March 16, 10.5 a.m.  
Three Norwegian steamers have  
arrived here from Port Arthur, where  
they have been detained for the past  
six weeks.







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LONDON, &c.	Simla, F. R. SUMMERS	Noon, 20th March.	See Special Advertisement.
SHANGHAI, &c.	Hongkong, G. PHILLIPS	About 20th March.	Freight and Passage.
LONDON & ANTWERP, Via SPAIN, FASO, CHIO, PORT SAÏD & MAIDELLES	Jawa, S. BACHAM	About 30th March.	Freight and Passage.

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GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	ANTONOR	24th March.	
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	GOVACK	31st March.	
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	JASON	8th April.	
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	ACHILLES	10th April.	

The NINGCHOW left Singapore on 15th inst., and is due here on 20th inst.

## HOMEWARDS.

TO	STEAMERS	DATE	REMARKS
LONDON & ANTWERP	AXA	18th March.	
LONDON & ANTWERP	PARING	20th March.	
LONDON & ANTWERP	MACHAON	1st April.	
GENOA & LIVERPOOL	INDONESIA	20th April.	
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KOBÉ	CHINOTE	23rd March.
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OLDENBURG	WEDNESDAY, 11th May.
BAYERN	WEDNESDAY, 25th May.
SACHSEN	WEDNESDAY, 8th June.
ZETEN	WEDNESDAY, 22nd June.
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FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA.

THE Company's Steamship NAMSANG, Captain Geo. PAYNE, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 23rd inst., at 3 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

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General Managers.

Hongkong, March 16, 1904.

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## IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINE.

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FOR SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, HIOGO AND YOKOHAMA.

THE Imperial German Mail Steamship HAMBURG, Captain E. BURMEISTER, due here with the outward German Mail about FRIDAY, at 5 p.m., will leave for the above places about 12 1/4 hours after arrival.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

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Hongkong, March 14, 1904.

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**HONGKONG AVERAGE MARKET**

HONGKONG AVERAGE MARKET PRICES.	
Corrected to Thursday, March 17, 1904.	
At 100 cents per Dollar Mexican.	
Butcher Meat.	
Beef sirloin & prime cut—Mei Lung Fa ... lb	18
„ Corned—Him Ngan Yuk ... „ „	18
„ Roast—Shiu „ „	18
„ Breast,—Nagu Lam ... „ „	14
„ Soup,—Tong Yuk ... „ „	14
„ Steak,—Ngan Yuk Fa ... „ „	18

友魚 魚沙 魚口 魚仔

„ —Autom Ngan Lau Sirloin ... „ 26

11	Sausages, -Ngau Ching	...	...	...	10	牛腸
12	Bullock's Brains, -Siow	...	...	per set	8	牛腦
	Tongue fresh, -Ngau Li	...	...	each	45	牛舌
	" " corned, -Ngau Ngai Li	...	...	\$5	55	牛心
13	Head, -Ngau Tai	...	...	...	55	牛頭
	Heart, -Ngau So	...	...	lb.	9	牛心
	Hump, Salt, -Ngau So	...	...	...	12	牛腰
	Feet, -Ngau Keta	...	...	each	8	牛蹄
	Kidneys, -Ngau Yiu	...	...	...	8	牛腰
	Tail, -Ngau Mei	...	...	...	16	牛尾
	Liver, -Ngau Con	...	...	lb.	9	牛肝
	Tripe (undressed), -Ngau To	...	...	...	5	牛肚

仁平平紫蕊香果桃于

on Chon.—Young 'Pai Kw ... lb. 24

11	Legs,—Yung Pei ... ..	24	羊批手
	Shoulder,—Yung Shau ... ..	22	羊手
Pigs	Clothings,—Chi chong ... ..	17	豬腰
11	Brains,—Chi Khow ... perfect ...	2	豬腦
11	Feet,—Chi Kook ... ..	12	豬腳
	Fry,—Chi Chak ... ..	12	豬鞭
11	Head,—Chi Tau ... ..	13	豬頭
	Heart,—Chi Sui ... .. each 9		豬心
	Kidneys,—Chi Yiu ... ..	8	豬腰
11	Liver,—Chi Con ... .. lb. 24		豬肝
Pork,	Chop,—Chi Kai Yau ... ..	18	豬排
	Corned,—Ham Chu Yuk ... ..	18	鹹肉

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Log, —Chu Pei ... 22 猪比

" Fat or Lard,—Chu Yau ... ..	18	猪油
Sausage's Head and Feet,—Yung Tau & rsk ...	50	羊頭
" Heart,—Young Sum ... ..	each 6	羊心
" Kidneys,—Young Yiu ... ..	9	羊腰
" Liver,—Young Con ... ..	lb. 22	羊肝
Sucking Pigs, To Order—Chu Chai ... ..	18	猪仔
Suet, Beef,—Sang Ngau Yau ... ..	17	生牛油
" Mutton,—Sang Young Yau ... ..	20	生羊牛油
Veal,—Ngau Chai Yuk ... ..	18	牛仔肉
" Sausages,—Ngau Chai Yuk Tong ... ..	16	牛仔肉

**Poultry.**

**生口**

一、**糖桃**  
等焦梨週桃合  
**蔬**  
治竹

					16	
Kai Chai					32	德仁

Chickens,—Hak Chin ...			雞行
Capon, Large, Small,—Sin Kai ...	...	30	鷄
Ducks,—A <sub>p</sub> ...	...	21	鴨
Doves,—Pau Kau ...	... cash		鴿
Eggs, Hen—Kai Tat ...	per dozen	20	雞蛋
Fowls, Canton,—Kai ...	...	30	鷄
" Hainan,—Hoi Nam Kai ...	...	34	海南鷄
" " Ngoi ...	...	24	靚
Goose, Wild Sh'at,—S'hat Yee Ngai, pair ...			上海野鵝
Musk Deer,—Wong Keng ...	each	—	黃麋
Hare, Donghai,—Zu Chai ...	...	—	兔仔
Partridge,—Cho Khoo ...	...	69	鸕鶿

菜角菜元茄菜笋菜菜笋菜

ant,—Shan Kai	...	...	pan	—	山雞
ng Canton.—Paki Kuu	...	...	each	35	白鷄

"	Hoihow,—Hoi How Pak Kap. . .	33	海口白
Quail,—Um-Chun . . . . .	each	23	鴿鴿
Rice Birds,—Wo Ka Cheuk . . . . .	dozen	28	禾花
Snipe,—Sa-O . . . . .	dozen	24	沙維
Turkeys, Cock . . . . .	each	65	火鷄
" Hon, " . . . . .	each	55	火鷄
Wild Ducks, Sh'hai,—Shanghai Sai-ap . . . . .	pair	55	上海水鴨
Toad,—Sui Ap Chai, . . . . .	each	70	水鴨
Wild Ducks, Canton,—Sang Shing Sui Ap es . . . . .	each	8.10	省城水鴨
Fish.			海魚

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Bream—Bin Yu	...	...	...	13	鰱魚
Canton Fresh Water Fish—Ho' Sin Yu	...	...	...	14	鮮魚
Carp—Li Yu	...	...	...	16	鯉魚
Catfish—Chik Yu	...	...	...	11	鰱魚
Codfish—Mun Yu	...	...	...	11	鱈魚
Crabs—Hai	...	...	...	16	蟹
Cuttle Fish—Mok Yu	...	...	...	12	墨魚
Dab—Sa Mang Yu	...	...	...	11	牙魚
Dace—Wong Mei Lun	...	...	...	11	黃魚
Dog Fish—Tit Ta Sa	...	...	...	8	狗魚
Eels, Congor. Hai Man	...	...	...	16	海蛇
Fresh Water—Tan Sin Yu	...	...	...	15	淡水

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Yellow, —Wong Sin ... .. 21

Frogs—Tien Kai ...	...	...	32	出 鴨
Garoupa—Soh Pan ...	...	...	60	鴨 鴨
Gudgeon—Pak Kep Yu ...	...	...	13	白 鴨
Herrings—Tao Pak ...	...	...	...	鴨 鴨
Halibut—Choung Kwan Yu ...	...	...	20	鴨 鴨
Labrus—Wong Fa Yu ...	...	...	18	鴨 鴨
Loach—Wu Yu ...	...	...	21	鴨 鴨
Lobsters—Lang Ba ...	...	...	...	鴨 鴨
Mackerel—Chi Yu ...	...	...	20	鴨 鴨
Mook Fish—Mong Yu ...	...	...	24	鴨 鴨
Mullet—Chai Yu ...	...	...	...	鴨 鴨
Oysters—Sang Hoo ...	...	...	17	鴨 鴨

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fish,--Kai Kang Yu	15	公
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Perry, — Ann Loc	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pike, — Pa Paw Poong	...	...	...	...	...	19
Pine, — Pan Yu	...	...	...	...	...	13
Pomfret, Black, — Hak Chong	...	...	...	...	...	28
Pomfret, White, — Pak Chong	...	...	...	...	...	22
Prawun, — Ming Ha	...	...	...	...	...	40
Ray, — Fel Pa S	...	...	...	...	...	9
Rock Fish, — Sak Kau Keng	...	...	...	...	...	16
Rosch, — Chun Yu	...	...	...	...	...	0





